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Yesterday arriv'd a Mail from France.

Stockholm, Dec. 1.

THE Chancellor of the Court of Justice upon the 27th of last Month presented to the Council of War a Memorial, containing a Charge against Count Lewenhaupt, and including an Account of his Proceedings in Finland, and a Detail of the Errors committed therein. General Wrangle, who is at present at his Estate in the Country, has been directed to return immediately, in order to give the Council of War some Light into the Affair of Wilmanstrand. We wait with Impatience the Return of the Couriers dispatched to the Court of Russia, in order to bring us her Imperial Majesty's last Resolution, with respect to the Place where the Congress is to be held, which, notwithstanding what the News-Papers have published, is not yet determined; and to acquaint us farther with the Duke of Holstein's Intention as to the Succession. The Decision of the last-mentioned Point will fix the Fate of this Kingdom. The Duke of Holstein, in case he accepts the Succession, will without doubt procure us a speedy and acceptable Peace, and the Parties which some Foreign Princes still maintain among our Clergy and Nobility would infallibly wear out of themselves; on the other hand, should he refuse it, we should take it for granted that this Refusal must be dictated by the Czarina, and from thence infer, that this Princess was no way disposed to sacrifice the Advantages she has gained, purely to make us easy. We have farther to apprehend, that the Party formed in favour of Prince Frederick of Hesse, and supported by the Court; and that of the Prince Royal of Denmark, who, as a Lutheran born and bred, would have all the Clergy at his Devotion; might raise new Divisions in the Dyet; and in that case, God only knows what the Effect of those Divisions might be. In this perplexed State of Affairs, the Court very wisely proceeds with the utmost Diligence in its Military Preparations, in order to have a good Army on foot, and a strong Fleet at Sea, in the Beginning of the Spring; that in case a Peace cannot be made with Russia this Winter, we may endeavour to repair our Losses by a vigorous Prosecution of the War. This Step might be hazardous indeed, yet not to such a degree as at first Sight it may seem; since we are well informed that the Foreign Generals in the Service of the Court of Russia, discontented at the Treatment they have met with from the new Administration, insist peremptorily on laying down their Commissions. In that case, the Russians would have nobody to head them but Generals of their own Nation, with whom we could very easily deal.

Continuation of the Journal of the Army of Prince Charles in Bavaria.

The 25th, 26, and 27th of November we continued in the Camp of Altheim, for several Reasons, but especially, that the Bread-waggons, Pontons, and Artillery might have time to come up, their Passage being much impeded by the Badness of the Roads rendred almost impassable by the Fall of the Rain, Sleet and Snow. On the 26th Prince Charles, accompanied by Field-Marshal Konigsegg, went to take a View of the Town of Braunau. General Berenclau commanded the Escort, a Detachment which fell upon one of the Enemy's Parties near the Town, killed some of them, and made 40 Prisoners. The same Day General Helfreich was detached with two Battalions of Kallowrath and Bethlem, and a considerable Body of Croats and Schlavonians, to make himself Master of the important Pass of Lauffen, in order to hinder the Enemy's penetrating thro' the Territory of Saltzbourg. On the 27th his Royal Highness and the Field Marshal went again to reconnoitre the Town and the Course of the River Inn, and on their Return the Army receiv'd Orders to prepare themselves for a March the next Day. On the 28th, early in the Morning, Lieutenant General Count Konigsegg and Major General Lannoy march'd for Braunau with three Regiments of Foot, as did General Kalkreuth with two Regiments of Horse, in order to invest the Town on this Side the Inn, and were directed to do in such a Manner as that the Enemy might apprehend the whole Army follow'd them. Soon after, General Lilch was detach'd at the Head of all the Grenadiers towards Katzenberg, where he pass'd the Inn, and invested the Town on the other Side without the least Opposition. About 10 o'Clock the whole Army began its March, and the Head-Quarters were fix'd at Katzenberg. On the 30th the Army will pass the Inn. We apprehend the Principal Attack will be made on the other Side the River. All that we have hitherto done has been without the least Opposition, Marshal Seckendorff having retired with his Forces on the first News of our marching towards him.

Ratisbon, Dec. 7. The Siege of Braunau is a Piece of News we little expected. It has however had a greater Effect on Marshal Broglio than the repeated Solicitations of M. Seckendorff, since on the first Advice of Prince Charles's Intention he determin'd to join the Imperial Army, so that things must now come to a speedy Decision. The Archbishop of Salzbourg having Intelligence that the Austrians had sent a strong Detachment into his Country, in order to seize the Pass of Lauffen and penetrate that Way once again to the Salt Mines, he immediately sent a great Body of Peasants with Orders to break down the Bridge there, but just as they had begun their Work the Austrians arrived, forced them to repair what they had already broken down, and continued their March to Reichenhal, where they made a prodigious Booty. Upon this the Emperor complains loudly of the Partiality of the Archbishop towards the Austrians; and the Queen of Hungary is no less angry at his ordering the Bridge to be broken down, which she interprets as done in favour of the Emperor; in the mean time the Archbishop's Country suffers not a little from both Parties, nor knows he where to apply for Redress.

Extract of a Private Letter from Erlang, Dec. 10.

'We have this Moment a very extraordinary Piece of 'News from Wilchenreuth, a Village in the Country of 'Soltzbach. A few Days ago there arrived very unexpectedly 30 French Soldiers in that Neighbourhood: 'On the 5th they entered the Minister's Garden, where 'he was walking, who very civilly ask'd them what 'they wanted; they answered him with like Civility, 'that they wanted Forage. The Minister shewed them 'immediately his Yard, where there was a considerable 'Quantity of Oats, Hay, and Straw. When they had 'taken what they thought fit, they began to toss the Minister from one to another, punch'd him with their 'Bayonets, clapp'd a Pistol to his Breast and a Knife to 'his Throat, and ask'd him where he kept his Money; 'which they took away, as well as some that belonged 'to his Church, after which they bound him, and threw 'him on a Stack of Straw. In the Interim another 'Party of twenty-five French had pillaged the rest of the 'Village; but as they were packing up their Plunder 'in Bales, they were surprized by a Party of 50 Hussars, 'who made them all Prisoners, except two who found 'means to escape. Forty of their Companions who 'were posted in one Place, and 100 who were posted 'in another, to favour their Retreat, ran away at the 'Sight of the Hussars, who contented themselves with 'carrying off their Prisoners, but did not touch a penny-'worth of the poor People's Goods.'

Paris, Dec. 17. The Dutch Minister had on the 4th a long Conference with Cardinal Fleury at Issy. It turn'd on the Propositions of Peace which the French Minister at the Hague had desired the States-General to propose to the Powers engaged in War. M. Van Hoey complained, that notwithstanding this Demand the Propositions had not as yet been communicated to the States; but the Marquis de Fenelon and the Abbe de la Ville seemed to expect, that their High Mightinesses should offer their Mediation, before they received these Propositions themselves; which was so derogatory to the Honour of the Republick, that he was directed to inform his Eminence, it was a Scheme that never could be complied with. His Majesty went last Week to Roulle, in order to see the Equestrian Statue of himself, which is speedily to be transported to Bourdeaux, on board two Dutch Flutes, which lately brought two fine Pieces of Marble from Genoa. Marshal Noailles is expected here in a few Days, but whether he will continue long here or not, will depend on the marching or not marching of the Queen of Hungary's Auxiliaries in the Low-Countries.

Hague, Dec. 16. The Charter of the East-India Company is renewed provisionally for 15 Years, and instead of several Millions which they were wont to pay upon such an Occasion, they are only to deduct three or four per Cent. on each Dividend, which is to go into the Chest of the *Union*. They are likewise to deduct three or four per Cent more, in order to replace the vast Sums that have been and are daily issued for the sending a great Naval Force, with a considerable Body of Land Troops on board, to resettle the Affairs of the Company in the East-Indies.

Extract from the Paris Alamain.

Paris, Dec. 19. 'The Dauphin, who has been some 'time indisposed with a Cold, continues to keep his 'Apartment.

How would the French like it if the Vienna Gazette, in return for the Usage of the Archduke, should, upon this slight Foundation, report the Dauphin to be dead?

'Two of the Accomplices of Raffiat were broke alive 'last Saturday in the Place de Greve.

'There has been lately seized and sent to Prison, a 'Cooper's Widow and Daughter, who lived in St. Victor's Street. They are suspected to have poisoned one 'Mr. Devaux, an old Officer, who had left the young 'Woman 50,000 Livres by his Will.

'The last Letters from Bavaria inform us, that it was 'resolved in a Council of War to attack the Enemy, in 'order to drive them out of the Neighbourhood of 'Passau, that by taking that Place we may not only procure a free Passage on the Danube, and good Winter-'Quarters, which are not to be had in so ruined a Country as Bavaria, but also to facilitate our Entrance into 'Bohemia in the Spring. M. Broglio, in consequence of 'this Resolution, has ordered three forced Marches, and 'is set out himself for Braunau, in order to join the 'Imperialists, and put himself in a Condition to attack 'the Austrians, if they pretend to dispute his Will.

By the Stile, and strong Contempt of Truth in this Paragraph, one would imagine it copied from a Letter of the Marshal's. The Reader will see from the foregoing Part of this Paper, what Credit—— I should rather say, that no Credit is due to Articles from Paris.

'The same Letters add, that Count Saxe is still at Deckendorff, but has a Bridge over the Danube, in case he 'should be attack'd; that the Austrians desert more and 'more every day; and that these Deserters report their 'Army to be in want of every thing, and extremely fatigued by their late Marches.

'It is confirmed that the Enemy are become Masters 'of Leutmaritz in Bohemia, where our Troops had their 'Magazines and a very large Sum of Money; the Fate of 'the Garrison we do not know.'

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HOME PORTS.

Falmouth, Dec. 9. Wind S. and blows hard. Since my last arriv'd the Hope, Dinckla, from Port Louis for Bremen; the Elizabeth, Fuller, from St. Kitt's; the Prosperous, Coates, the Samuel and Betty, Slade, both from Liverpool; the William and Susanna, Glegg, from Milford; and the Jane, Walker, from Swanzey, all for London.

Plymouth, Dec. 10. Since my last arrived the Baltimore, Biggs, from Maryland.

Cowes, Dec. 11. Wind E. Yesterday came down from Spithead his Majesty's Ship the Woolwich, Capt. Pocock, and sailed this Morning on a Cruize to the Westward; likewise came in the Vrey Niederland, Cornelison, from Roterdam for this Place for Orders; and the Dolphin, Philips, from Jersey for this Place.

Portsmouth, Dec. 11. Arrived the Sarah, Bassett, from Guernsey for this Place.

Deal, Dec. 12. Wind E. N. E. Came down and sail'd thro', the Britannia, Procter, for Oporto, the Ackworth, Jones, for Mahon, and the Crawford, Harrison, for Liverpool. Remains the Lion Transport, for Portsmouth.

Gravesend, Dec. 12. Pass'd by the Greenland, Rose, from Amsterdam.

Arrived

At Marseilles, the Neptune, Nowell, from London.

At Figueira, the Loyalty, Bulkely, from Newfoundland.

At Lisbon, the Lusitania, Clemens, from London.

LONDON.

Her Hungarian Majesty having maturely considered the Artifices of the French Court, and the great Obligations she lies under to her Allies, has been pleased to declare, that for the future she will receive no Propositions of Peace which have not first had the Approbation of the BRITISH COURT. And she has likewise caus'd it to be notified to Mr. Stainville, the Grand Duke's Resident at Paris, that he should not intermeddle with her Affairs.

By a private Letter from Dusseldorp, dated Dec. 14. we learn, that the French Minister at the Court of the Elector of Cologn had demanded an Audience of that Prince, in which he gave him to understand his Master was well acquainted with certain Intrigues carried on with the Courts of London and Berlin, and talk'd in such a Stile as drew from his Highness this Answer, *That he was free, and would continue so.*

The Archbishop and Elector of Mentz is at the Point of Death.

Letters from Lisbon dated the 10th Inst. N. S. advise, that their Fleet from the Rio de Janeiro was arriv'd there safe, very richly laden; and also two Ships from East In-

dia. with the Licence Ship and Man of War from Bahia de Todos os Santos; that on the 3d they had a violent Storm, by which the Bon Jezius de Villanova, bound from Porto to Pernambuco in Brazil, the Benjamin, Routh, from Cork for Lisbon, a Ship from England for the Weſtern Iſlands, and a French Ship, were all loſt on the Coaſt Northward of the Tagus; and that moſt of the Ships in that River received Damage. The Suffolk Man of War, from England, ſaid bound to join Admiral Matthews, was come in without Maſts, which, for Diſpatch ſake, were to be taken out of the Lenox to refit her.

The Ann, Pike, from Newfoundland, was lately loſt near the Bar of Porto.

The Elizabeth, Tucker, bound from London to Figueira, was lately taken by a Spaniſh Privateer, and carried into Vigo.

On Saturday Night laſt a Fire happen'd at Col. Selwyn's Houſe in Cleveland-row St. James's, but was happily extinguiſh'd without doing any great Damage.

Yeſterday the Right Hon. the Earl of Eſſex arrived at his Houſe in Groſvenor-ſquare, from France.

The ſame Day the Juſtices in the Commiſſion of the Peace for Weſtminſter held an Adjournment at the Town Court-houſe in Weſtminſter-hall, when ſeveral Officers took the Oaths to qualify them for their reſpective Poſts, and divers Perſons attended and withdrew their Recognizances; after which the Court adjourn'd to Tueſday next.

The Trial of Thomas Rounce for High Treaſon is to come on this Day at a Court of Admiralty to be held at the Old Bailey.

A Scandalous Paper having been lately publiſh'd in ſeveral News-papers, in the Name of the Burgeſſes and Inhabitants of the City and Liberty of *Weſtminſter*, addreſs'd to the Right Hon. the Lord Viſcount *Perceval* and *Charles Edwin*, Eſqs their Repreſentatives in Parliament, which Paper contains Matter of a very Dangerous and Criminal Nature, and has a manifeſt Tendency to excite Diſturbances in this Kingdom, by appealing from the *Legiſlature* to the *People*, and in plain and expreſs Terms threatening popular Commotions; it is thought proper to acquaint the Publick, That the publiſhing the ſame under the Names of the Burgeſſes and Inhabitants of the City and Liberty of *Weſtminſter*, as abovemention'd, is an infamous Forgery, and a groſs and impudent Impoſition on their worthy Repreſentatives, for that there never was any Convention of the Burgeſſes and Inhabitants of the ſaid City and Liberty in their Burgeſs-court, to prepare or approve the ſaid Paper, or any other Paper of the ſame Kind or Import whatever, which it was abſolutely neceſſary there ſhould have been to have made it their Act, or to have warranted the Printing and Publiſhing it under their Names: But, on the contrary, the ſaid Paper, having been drawn up in a private and clandeſtine Manner, was produc'd, ready-prepar'd, at a Tavern-Meeting of a few low inconſiderable People, pack'd together for that Purpoſe, without any Authority or legal Summons for ſo doing, where there were but *Two Burgeſſes and Two Aſſiſtants* preſent out of *Thirty-two* Burgeſſes and Aſſiſtants of whom the Burgeſs-court conſiſts, and not One hundred and fifty Inhabitants out of at leaſt Ten thouſand who have a Right of voting for Members of Parliament for *Weſtminſter*; Beſides which, it is notoriouſly known, that the principal Authors and Contrivers of this Daring and Outragious Inſult upon his Majeſty and his Parliament, are Men of deſperate Fortunes and abandon'd Characters, the Promoters and Ringleaders of all kind of Riot and Diſorder, and who have no other Shelter or Reſource left, but in Popular Commotions and Publick Confuſion.

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☞ The Surprizing Encouragement, which by conſtant Succeſs, theſe *moſt Valuable Drops* have, for upwards of Twenty *Years*, met with, not only in *Great Britain* and *Ireland*, but in all Parts of the *Weſt-Indies*, and other *Foreign Countries*, has lately induced ſeveral mean and mercenary Pretenders to *Counterfeit* them; and by imitating our Seal, Bill of Directions, and Show-Boards, with our Method of Adverſing, as near as they can or dare to do, without making them the ſame, thereby impoſe their *dangerous Compoſitions* upon the unwary and credulous Shop-keepers both in Town and Country, for the True and Genuine Sort.

The Patentee and Company therefore, in Gratitude for the univerſal good Reception they have *ſo long* met with, and for the Safety of thoſe who for the future may be deſirous of enjoying the ſame, think themſelves abſolutely obliged to give this neceſſary Caution;

Which they earneſtly requeſt may be obſerved,

THAT the Bottle they Buy is not only Sealed with the Boar's Head, but has alſo theſe Words round it, BY THE KING'S PATENT, as in the Margin; and alſo that the Names of the Patentee, *Benj. Okell*, *William* and *Cluer Dicey*, be in the Bill of Directions given with each Bottle, without which you may be aſſur'd it is a *notorious Counterfeit*, and may be of the moſt *dangerous Conſequence*.

N. B. *That theſe* Drops *are alſo Sold* Retale (as well as Wholeſale) *at the Warehouſe aforeſaid, at* One Shilling *the Bottle, containing three Doſes.*

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